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Applicant: Masanori KUSUNOKI

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For: SYSTEM FOR AUTHENTICATING ACCESS TO A NETWORK, STORAGE MEDIUM,

PROGRAM AND METHOD FOR AUTHENTICATING ACCESS TO A

NETWORK

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PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

On January 25, 2005 a final Office Action was issued in connection with the above-identified application. Therefore, a reply was due April 25, 2005. Applicant hereby requests a one-month extension of time, from April 25, 2005 to May 25, 2005, for responding to the January 25, 2005 Office Action. This Petition is being submitted concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 and an Amendment.

The required fee for a one-month extension of time is \$120.00. A check for ONE HUNDRED TWENTY DOLLARS (\$120.00) is enclosed herewith. Accordingly, a response to the January 25, 2005 Office Action is now due May 25, 2005.

No fee, other than the enclosed \$120.00 fee for the one-month extension of time and the enclosed \$790.00 fee under 37 C.F.R.

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\$1.17(e) for the Request for Continued Examination, is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Petition. However, if any additional fee is required, authorization is given to charge the amount of any such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

Respectfully submitted,

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited this date with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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